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IN THE CLAIM

Please cancel Claim 2, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter thereof, and amend the claims 1, 3 to 6 as the following. The amendment of claim 1 is to add a section original in the fifth paragraph of the detail description of the invention to the original claim 1. The claims 3 to 6 are identical to the original claim 3 to 6 but now they are changed to dependent to the claim 1 instead of claim 2. Thereby, it is assured that the new claims are based on the original claim and specification and thus no new matter is added. The relation of the new claims with respect to the original claims are shown in the following REMARK, Examiners can read the claims more easily from the REMARK.

LIST OF CLAIMS:

Claim 1. (Currently Amended) An adjustable spanner, comprising a main body having an end formed with a fixed jaw and a slideway located adjacent to the fixed jaw, an adjustment screw rotatably mounted in the main body, and a movable jaw movably mounted on the main body and having an end formed with a neck portion having a bottom formed with a rack slidably mounted in the slideway of the main body and engaged with the adjustment screw, wherein:

the adjustable spanner further comprises two magnetic members mounted between the slideway of the main body and the movable jaw; ~~:~~

wherein the slideway of the main body has two opposite side walls and each wall has a respective one of the two magnetic members so that the movable jaw is maintained at the center of the slideway of the main body by the repulsive effect between the two magnetic members and the movable jaw without leaning on either one of the two opposite side walls of the slideway of the main body, so that the movable jaw is movable in

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the slideway of the main body smoothly and conveniently.

Claim 2 (Cancelled)

Claim 3. (Currently Amended) The adjustable spanner in accordance with claim 1 ~~2~~, wherein the neck portion of the movable jaw is slidably mounted in the slideway of the main body and located between the two opposite side walls of the slideway of the main body.

Claim 4. (Currently Amended) The adjustable spanner in accordance with claim 1 ~~2~~, wherein each of the two magnetic members is mounted in a respective one of the two opposite side walls of the slideway of the main body.

Claim 5. (Currently Amended) The adjustable spanner in accordance with claim 1 ~~2~~, wherein each of the two magnetic members is mounted in a respective one of the two opposite side walls of the slideway of the main body in a bonding manner.

Claim 6. (Currently Amended) The adjustable spanner in accordance with claim 1 ~~2~~, wherein each of the two magnetic members is mounted in a respective one of the two opposite side walls of the slideway of the main body in a close fit manner.

Claim 7. (Original) The adjustable spanner in accordance with claim 1, wherein the neck portion of the movable jaw has two sides each formed with a recess for mounting a respective one of the two magnetic members.

Claim 8. (Original) The adjustable spanner in accordance with claim 7, wherein each of the two magnetic members has a circular shape, and the recess of the neck portion of the movable jaw has a circular shape.

Claim 9. (Original) The adjustable spanner in accordance with claim 7, wherein each of the two magnetic members has a rectangular shape, and the recess of the neck portion of the movable jaw has a rectangular shape.

Claim 10. (Original) The adjustable spanner in accordance with claim 1, wherein the movable jaw has two sides each formed with a shoulder for

mounting a respective one of the two magnetic members.

Claim 11. (Original) The adjustable spanner in accordance with claim 10, wherein the shoulder of the movable jaw is located above the neck portion.

Claim 12. (Original) The adjustable spanner in accordance with claim 10, wherein the slideway of the main body has two opposite side walls, and the shoulder of the movable jaw is located above each of the two opposite side walls of the slideway of the main body.

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